

**Announced Soviet Defense Expenditures and Their Estimated Dollar Equivalents:
1947-53 ^{a/}**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Announced Expenditures Billion Current Rubles</u>	<u>Estimated Dollar Equivalents Billion Current US Dollars ^{b/}</u>
1947	67	13
1948	65	13
1949	73	17
1950	83	19
1951	93	24
1952	100	25
1953	105	27
1954	100 plan	27
1955	107	28
1956	97	27
1957	97 plan	27
1958	95 plan	27

^{a/} It should be noted that these expenditures are not the total military expenditures of the USSR.

^{b/} The dollar equivalents were determined by converting the several pertinent components of Soviet military expenditure, in rubles, with suitable ruble-dollar ratios.